

ALL OVER OKLAHOMA and Neighboring States

Oklahoma

PAWBUKA, Nov. 24.—Rebecca Lodge No. 24, Pawbuka, was formally initiated Wednesday by a team from Pawbuka. Twenty-seven candidates were initiated, assisted by Bill Black, past president of Oklahoma City and by C. M. Haines, past grand and Mrs. H. C. Terry, past noble grand, both of Oklahoma City.

COVINGTON, Nov. 24.—The enrollment of the Covington public school has reached \$17, which is an increase of \$1 over the enrollment of September 15. The new pupils entering now are in the grades.

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MALESTER, Nov. 24.—With a view to lining up the Malester brothers to vote for him at the election, the Malester brothers are being lined up to vote for him at the election.

PICKER, Nov. 24.—The Salvation Army, which is being established in this district for the first time, has secured headquarters at the residence of the pastor, Mr. J. H. Smith, who is being established in this district for the first time.

COMMERCE, Nov. 24.—The old Emory Gordon mine, once a splendid producer of this field, resumed operation today under the management of the Emory Gordon Mining company. The mine will be known as the Emory Gordon mine.

CHELEKA, Nov. 24.—John Bravara, on his heavily timbered land just on the east outskirts of town has a fine sawmill in operation. He is turning out some fine burr oak, post oak and walnut for building purposes in the vicinity.

VINITA, Nov. 24.—Residents of South Vinita street were petitioned by the city council asking for a four-inch fire main and fire plug, insuring fire protection. An improvement district on that street has also been created providing for carrying and guttering and gravel.

BECK, Nov. 24.—The petition of Dave Galush for bankruptcy was heard by Judge Williams last Saturday in Tulsa. No decision will be rendered until December. Galush underwent a grilling when on the stand by five attorneys and detectives from the Retail Credit association of St. Louis, who were trying to have his petition canceled.

MOUND, Nov. 24.—John Staley Tiger, an Indian, of Boggs, was brought to Mound to a physician's office, after having run over by a Ford roadster, which nearly cut off one ear and fractured five of his ribs. Tiger was sitting in the middle of the road between Boggs and Mound, having driven too freely of "moon" and the driver of the roadster did not see him until it was too late to stop. There is some doubt as to whether the injured man will recover.

CHICKASHA, Nov. 24.—On motion of the defendant, Chief of Ordnance, charges of embezzlement were continued for the term, J. D. Lytle, and J. A. Lytle, attorneys representing Governor Robertson in the trial which is on at Ada.

ENID, Nov. 24.—The Tulsa Refining company has secured permanent offices on the third floor of the new Masonic temple. They will have nine rooms with a large hall lobby.

PONCA CITY, Nov. 24.—The Shrine club of Ponca City, in cooperation with the local humane society, will furnish the Christmas baskets for the worthy poor and needy this year following an example inaugurated last Christmas. The Shrine club has donated \$100 for the purpose. The humane society makes up the list of persons to whom baskets should go and the Shrine club, with the aid of the Boy Scouts do the distributing. Each basket is in certain toys and articles, to the American Legion is planning a similar campaign of cooperation.

MCALISTER, Nov. 24.—An increase of 100 per cent in the membership of the chamber of commerce is reported here during the past year. The drive for membership, which is at present under way, has been very successful. About fifty new members have been secured. The club is said to be one of the liveliest and most effective in the state. Secretary Boone Williams announces that great benefits are accruing to the farming interests of the county as well as to the city itself.

PAWBUKA, Nov. 24.—Eighteen past worthy masters of the local chapter of the Eastern Star acted as hostesses to past worthy patrons and other Masons and Eastern Stars Tuesday night. The past worthy masters put on an initiatory service.

Kansas

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 24.—Twelve new hospital chairs purchased at a cost of \$14,000 will have been completed in Kansas at the close of this year.

INDEPENDENCE, Kan., Nov. 24.—Miss Louise Brooks, former Independence girl, and a member of the Ruth O. Dennis and Ted Shaw companies danced before a crowd of about 100 at the Empress theater in Kansas City. It was declared as one of the most perfect dances ever given in the city. Under it all, and giving it all stability, was the knowledge that such a program meant the financial expenditure of money. The lavish way in which the dancers used their money, power, and the audience's minds of the impression of artificiality as much as the "independent" dancing girls. It was an afternoon that anyone in the least susceptible to the beautiful could enjoy, and although the audience were not notably appreciative the men Wednesday were extremely enthusiastic to put it mildly.

LAWRENCE, Kan., Nov. 24.—Fire loss in Lawrence during October aggregated \$28,221 as compared with \$19,142 in September, according to a monthly report issued today by L. V. Husey, state fire marshal. There were 231 fires in the state during last month, an increase of 41 fires over the previous similar period.

FREDONIA, Kan., Nov. 24.—Action now being taken by a bunch of good roads enthusiasts to place a new "road" marked trail from Fredonia to Wichita. The trail will probably find opposition in the efforts of Fredonia to be of any use. As the route is planned the road will run south from Fredonia to McCona, then to Cherryvale, Independence, Elk City, Moline, Grenola, Cambridge, and then west and north to Wichita. The Fredonians claim that this city is directly on the line between Fredonia and Wichita, and in addition this county can furnish about twenty miles of gravel road between east and western edges, while the trail from Fredonia is well marked already. The meeting to decide upon the new trail will be held in Independence soon and Fredonia, though as yet uninvited, expects to be well represented there to present their claims.

Arkansas

FORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 24.—The plant of Arkansas Oil Refining company was sold at noon Monday by S. A. Lynch, commissioner, and was purchased by First National bank for \$25,000. The sale was made under a judgment obtained by the bank in the chancery court. The plant is the first refinery ever installed in the state of Arkansas and has been operated more than ten years under different man-

agement. John H. Hubert, one of the largest independent oil men of Oklahoma was the principal owner of the stock. Failure of the company to secure a franchise of 100,000 acres of land in the state of Arkansas, which Mr. Hubert was a director and large shareholder, led to the selling of the plant to the First National bank.

HUMPHREYSVILLE, Ark., Nov. 24.—One person was seriously hurt and another killed when four cars of Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 103 were derailed six miles east of Humphreysville Sunday afternoon at 6 o'clock. W. N. Latimer of Texarkana, Ark., on route to Little Rock, sustained serious injuries. He was taken to a Little Rock hospital. The accident was caused by a broken rail.

VAN BUREN, Ark., Nov. 24.—A fire having the date of October 21, 1914 and conveying what is now the entire town of Holly, Ark., and other lands was destroyed Monday by fire. The town of Holly, Ark., was destroyed by fire. The town of Holly, Ark., was destroyed by fire.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. John Mark celebrated their golden wedding anniversary here Sunday. The anniversary of the day recalled the elaborate wedding of 60 years ago, when the marriage took place at the Church of the Immaculate Conception and was attended by members of society of that day and many of whom are still living. All the members of the wedding party of six are still in the land and were guests at the anniversary reception. Mrs. Mark is a native Fort Smith woman. Her name is Josephine Knobel.

TRILLVILLE, Ark., Nov. 24.—The election of Judge William Weaver, democratic nominee for county judge of Oklahoma county, was at such interest to the people of Marion county, because Judge Weaver was born and reared here. He removed to Oklahoma, two years ago. Judge Weaver is a nephew of M. S. Weaver, a prominent attorney, formerly of Little Rock.

HARDY, Ark., Nov. 24.—The body of Floyd Russell, 26 years old, who was shot and killed near a business building, was brought here for burial and that of a 10-year-old baby, who died here Tuesday night, was buried in the same grave. Russell met his death at the hands of a restaurant keeper at an oil town 18 miles from Hardy, where he had been working in the oil fields. His wife and two small children accompanied the body here. One of the children died after arrival.

Missouri

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 24.—A resolution was adopted without discussion by the Springfield board of education, providing for a reading of the Bible in the public schools each day.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Nov. 24.—J. E. Swadlow, president of the Ozark Trails association, representing 1,000 miles of highway, recognized by the federal government, announced here that plans are under way for making the entire route.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., Nov. 24.—Missouri, formerly a big cotton producing state, promises to stage a comeback next year as a result of a series of meetings held throughout the Ozark region during the past few days. Many farmers living near West Plains, have pledged 50 acres of cotton for the coming year, while others will devote more than this the following year.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Nov. 24.—George Bencherter, prominent farmer living near here, was seriously injured when a pole he was holding in his hand, the end of the pole struck him in the face.

JOPPIN, Mo., Nov. 24.—Because of many alleged violations of the Volstead law in Jasper county a grand jury has been called to make a thorough investigation.

Northern Texas

AUSTIN, Texas, Nov. 24.—Texas first losses for the month of October amounted to \$1,274,400, which was accompanied by 174 fires. The losses for the month of October or slightly in excess of losses reported during the month of September.

TEMPLE, Texas, Nov. 24.—An ordinance just enacted by the city commission imposes restrictions upon the operation of industry motor bus lines that practically limits them to side streets and prevents circulation of bus lines through town thoroughfares. Regular jitney lines operating within the city are not affected by the ordinance.

CANYON, Texas, Nov. 24.—A sale of cotton bolls in the south part of this county was marketed here recently, making the first sale to be sold here. Interest in cotton raising is growing in this section and it is thought that there will be enough acreage in this vicinity next year to justify the building of a gin.

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 24.—Records on file in the office of the Southern Pacific railway show that Indians were the official babies of the west in the days when cowboys were introduced to the west. The records show that the blind horses were almost always full of Indians enjoying the first thrill of a ride on a train.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Nov. 24.—Fort Worth led the United States in the percentage of its population for cowboys, compared with the same month last year. The October receipts amounted to \$145,462, a gain of 40.24 per cent, compared with October, 1921. The receipts for Texas for the same month were \$261,139, a gain of 13.22 per cent. In Oklahoma, a total of receipts of \$118,284, the gain was 6.74 per cent.

OIL MEN AT HEAD OF BANK

H. L. Wineland Resigns From Oklahoma Financial Institution.

Special to The World.

OKMULGEE, Nov. 24.—W. T. Reynolds, prominent Okmulgee oil producer and business man, has been elected chairman of the board of directors of the Union National bank to succeed H. L. Wineland.

Mr. Wineland is an officer and stockholder in the Houston national bank. He devoted much of his time to that institution.

Mr. Reynolds has had much experience in the banking business.

C. L. McMahon and James G. Lyons purchased additional stock doubling their previous earnings.

Officers and directors of the Union National bank now are: W. T. Reynolds, chairman of board; H. B. Ernst, president; James G. Lyons, vice president; Charles L. McMahon, vice president; H. G. Luke, cashier; S. A. McCoy, assistant cashier; Ernest Lyons, McMahon, Reynolds and Zike are directors.

Oil Plant Fire Damaged.

PAWBUKA, Nov. 24.—Fire which broke out at 8:30 Thursday morning destroyed an oil house belonging to the People Oil company and located on the Midland Valley right-of-way. The origin of the fire is unknown. The building contained several barrels of oil, one of which exploded, but skillful handling by the firemen reduced the explosion to this one.

Laughs That Make You Live Longer

MUTT AND JEFF—Mutt Guessed It the First Shot.

BY BUD FISHER



POLLY AND HER PALS—Ashur Gets an Earful but Fails to Solve the Mystery.

By CLIFF STERRETT



CASEY THE COP—At Last—He's There!

By H. M. TALBURT



BARNEY GOOGLE—Does Spark Plug Win? Oh, Look at This!

By BILLY DE BECK



THEM DAYS IS GONE FOREVER—Finish This on Your Fiddle.

By AL. POSEN

